

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EFIN CG  
SUBJECT: STATUS IMF-GOZ RELATIONS

1. WE HAVE OBSERVED FOLLOWING ITEM IN FEB 18 EDITION RAND DAILY MAIL ATTRIBUTED TO RUETER: "IMF MANAGING DIRECTOR DR. HOHANNES WITTENVEEN SAID HE IS CONCERNED ABOUT INTERNAL PROBLEMS IN ZAIRE, BUT AN IMF MISSION CONTINUES TO BE IN CONTACT WITH THE COUNTRY. A DELAY IN RENEWING COMMERCIAL BANK LOANS TO ZAIRE WAS UNFORTUNATE BECAUSE IT ACCELERATED INFLATION AND REDUCED THE COUNTRY'S IMPORTS. BUTN HE ADDED, THERE HAVE BEEN SHORTCOMINGS ON ZAIRE'S POLICIES."
2. ABOVE ARTICLE OR SIMILAR INFO HAS NOT YET APPEARED IN ZAIRIAN NEWSPAPERS. HOWEVER, WE WOULD APPRECIATE DETAILS OF ANY STATEMENT WHICH IMF DIRECTOR WITTENVEEN MAY HAVE MADE CONCERNING ZAIRE. WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE ANY INFO AVAILABLE AS TO DATE OF PROPOSED HIGH-LEVEL IMF VISIT TO ZAIRE.  
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